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FRANCIS S. NAKAYAMA ET AL. )  
COMPOSITES COMPRISING PLANT )  
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AND PLASTIC )  
Serial No. 09/828,632 )  
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The Honorable

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, Applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the following reference cited on the attached form PTO/SB/08A, this reference was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application.

A copy of the International Search Report, dated August 8, 2001, and one reference cited (BA1) are enclosed herewith.

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